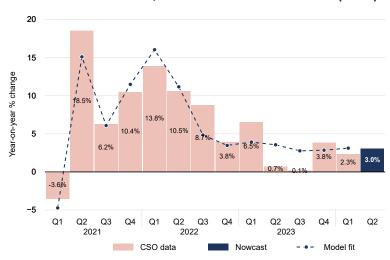




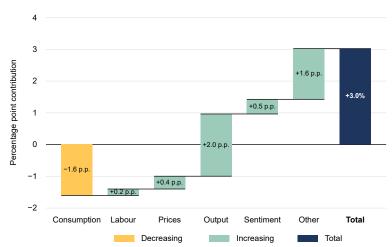
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Estimate of 2024Q2 MDD based on Apr-24, May-24 and Jun-24 data

## Nowcast of 2024Q2 Modified Domestic Demand (MDD)



## Composition of Nowcast Estimate for 2024Q2



## **Highlights**

- > As of August 26th, the ESRI's 2024Q2 nowcast estimates that MDD is growing at 3.0% year-on-year. This remains unchanged from last month's estimate. This is the final nowcast of 2024Q2 and is based on a full complement of data from April, May and June.
- > Decomposing the key drivers of this month's nowcast estimate show that similar to last month's estimate robust tax revenues and strong growth in house prices (both of which are included in the 'other' component of the decomposition below) and certain sectors of industrial production compared to June 2023 contributed most significantly to the estimated growth.
- > Weaker consumption data compared to June 2023 had a negative impact on the estimate.

Next expected update on 19/09/2024.

MDD is a measure of domestic economic activity in Ireland including spending by households, investment by enterprises and net spending by the government.

Nowcasting is the prediction of the very recent past, the present, and the very near future state of the economy. The ESRI's nowcast uses an econometric model with a series of real-time indicators to estimate MDD before the official CSO numbers are available.

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